House Resolution No. 2790

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who admirably have devoted a tremendous amount of time and energy to helping local school districts provide students with stellar opportunities to obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Doyle G. Bounds of Albany, Missouri, attained considerable distinction as a vocational-agriculture teacher for the Worth County R-III School District for thirty-one years, an educational calling that he drew to a close in well-deserved retirement on June 30, 2006; and

Whereas, Doyle Bounds developed and maintained an excellent reputation as a two-term officer with Area Agriculture Teachers, president of the Worth County Fair Board, president of the Worth County Community Teacher Association, and member of the Worth County Fair Board, Denver Lions Club, Denver Baptist Church, Missouri State Teachers Association, Missouri National Education Association, Missouri Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association, National Association of Agriculture Employees, and Association for Career and Technical Education; and

Whereas, no stranger to honors and accolades, Doyle Bounds is the recipient of two Teacher of Teacher awards; an honorary Chapter FFA Degree, State FFA Degree, and American Farmer Degree; and MVATA Distinguished Member recognition; and

Whereas, Doyle Bounds was the adult leader for nineteen American Degree and seventy-four State Degree recipients, one State officer, twelve Area officers, one State Proficiency winner, and one National Proficiency finalist; and

Whereas, Doyle Bounds is justifiably proud also to be known as the beloved husband of Karla and loving father of Sam, Jamie, Stacey, Kari, and Kassie; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative endeavors in order to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of such outstanding Missouri citizens as Doyle Bounds:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the accomplishments garnered by Doyle Bounds during his employment with the Worth County R-III School District and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as he partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Doyle G. Bounds of Albany, Missouri.

Offered by Representative Jim Whorton
District No. 3

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2790, adopted April 30, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker